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Honorable Stanley R. Chesler, U.S.D.J.  
United States District Court  
Frank R. Lautenberg United States  
Post Office & Courthouse - Room 417  
Federal Square  
P.O. Box 999  
Newark, New Jersey 07101-0999

**Re: United States v. Mohamed Alkhawam**  
**Criminal Number 06-01001-001(SRC)**

Dear Judge Chesler:

Mohamed Alkhawam was notified that he is scheduled to surrender on November 5, 2008. I am writing to request an extension of time of thirty days to provide him with sufficient time to move his wife, infant daughter and belongings to his sister's home and to allow additional time for the motion for bail pending appeal to be decided in this Court, and in the Third Circuit, if necessary.

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,  
**FUSCO & MACALUSO, P.A.**

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